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NOTICE OF INTERVENTION

IN BEHALF OF

FLORIDA GIFT FRUIT SHIPPERS ASSOCIATION

Designation of persons to receive service:

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July 11, 1997

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In accordance with Section 3001.20 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure, FLORIDA GIFT FRUIT SHIPPERS ASSOCIATION files this NOTICE OF INTERVENTION in Docket No. R97-1.

1. Nature of interest.

The primary interest of the Internenor is the rate structure of fourth class parcel post and the allocation and attribution of costs to all mail classifications.

2. Position With Regard to Proposed Changes.

Complete information concerning the proposal has not yet been received, so that a definitive statement of position cannot be made at this time. As a general matter, the Intervenor supports the proposed changes.

3. Active Participant.

The Intervenor intends to be an active participant in this proceeding.

4. Request For Hearing.

The Petitioner requests a hearing on the issues presented by the request of the Postal Service.

Dated at Orlando, Florida, this 11th day of July, 1997.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have this day served a copy of the foregoing document on the United State Postal Service as required by Section 3001.20(c), Rule of Practice and Procedure.

Dated at Orlando, Florida, this 11th day of July, 1997.

M. W. Wells, Jr., Attorney for

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Association